

RADICALS IN CONTROL

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AT CONFERENCE OF N. Y. REPUBLICANS

State Chairman Barnes Is Defeated—Radicals Led by Henry L. Stimson

New York, Dec. 5.—The radicals ruled the Republican state conference yesterday and forced the approval of a direct state-wide primary law.

State Chairman William Barnes' motion to reaffirm the more conservative primary plank in the last Republican platform was defeated by a vote of 192 to 187.

The radicals led by Henry L. Stimson, former secretary of war, split with Barnes and his followers over the question of retaining party conventions. The radicals carried a resolution declaring all candidates should stand on an equal footing; that the direct primary should be an adjunct to and check upon rather than a substitute for deliberation and conference of the party's representatives. It favored the principle of the short ballot.

PERHAPS THE LAST

Convention Has Been Held for the Nomination of Candidates for Presidency.

Washington, Dec. 6.—The issue of direct presidential primaries, brought into public discussion by President Wilson, promises to be an important factor in the deliberations of the national Republican conference here.

Congress may provide primaries that will do away with the need of any nominating conventions before the next presidential election.

The decision of the law committee of the Republican national committee just made public leaves but one change in Republican rules to be made by a national convention.

That relates to the basis of representation. While Republican leaders here believe the national committee will call a convention for March or April, some think the direct primary may influence some committee members against it.

It was pointed out that if a direct primary law was passed before the 1916 elections the need for a change of Republican representation would disappear.

Senator Jones, a member of the law committee, returned to Washington yesterday and said plans were going forward for a national convention.

"I am in favor of some form of direct primaries in the states, with national conventions in which delegates would sit in proportion to the vote in the states."

"Each state would apportion its delegates according to the strength of the respective party candidates and the national convention would make the final choice."

Senator Cummins, one of the most active advocates of rules revision, and chairman of the conciliation committee, appointed in Chicago last spring, said yesterday that discussion of presidential primaries should not interfere with the holding of a special convention.

"I am strongly in favor of direct primaries," he said, "but there is no assurance that the direct primary laws will be passed or, at least, that they will not be long delayed. It is our duty to go ahead with the convention plans we have outlined and complete the formation of Republican rules that will make the party machinery thoroughly responsive to the will of the voters."

PLAYS INDIAN; KILLS BROTHER.

Six-Year-Old Shoots Five-Year-Old in His Home.

Unionville, Conn., Dec. 6.—While playing Indian yesterday afternoon William Hawley, aged six, shot and killed his brother, Lawrence, aged four years. William did not know the gun was loaded.

Ends His Life With Bullet.

Boothbay, Me., Dec. 6.—Herbert Seaves, a master mariner, was found dead yesterday under circumstances pointing to suicide. He was discovered in the cellar of his home with a bullet wound in his head and a revolver at his side.

He was 35 years old. The cause of his act is unknown.

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"I tried—and that did not do any good. I thought I would go out of my head the way I was. But after I used Cuticura Soap and Ointment they seemed to ease me. I only used two cakes of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment and it took two months to get rid of the eruption."

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